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3. (C) IDENTICAL. Further reorganization of LRV, Baden/Wurtemberg, reportedly took place between 1 February and 15 February, as follows:

a. Executive Section -

- (1) Hans-Meinrich PICHT, Director of LRV
- (2) Dr. Peter LAHNSTEIN, Deputy Director of LRV
- (3) Siegfried von BOETT, Organization Chief

b. Section I (Administration) - Erwin SCHLAPP, Chief

c. Section II (Counter Subversion) - Ludwig KOLLATH, Chief

d. Section III (CS Evaluation and EEI) - Karl KRAUSS, Chief

e. Section IV (Card Registry) - Dr. Harald SPERR, Chief

f. Section V (Counter Espionage) - Dr. Manfred L. KORNERS, Chief

g. Section V has been broken down into three separate sub-sections; namely, section for security and general CS work, section concerned with double agent operations, and the third sub-section handles industrial and governmental agency security. These sub-sections are directed by sub-section chiefs Hermann PERZ, Leo KROEGER and Walter WEINERICH. LAHNSTEIN has initiated intra-sectional procedures under which all CE agents must now clear matters through their sub-section chiefs before bringing them to his attention, and all matters originating with him go through sub-section chiefs to the agent concerned.

h. There has also been talk to the effect that there is a possibility of the conversion of the LRV CE section into an evaluation office which would control actual CE operations handled by the Landes Kriminalamt (State Criminal Police) (LKA). The alleged purpose of such reorganization would be to avoid the investigative duplication which occurs after the LRV has finished investigating evidence over to the LKA for executive action. (It is believed that the primary reason for the anticipated reorganization is one of personnel considerations rather than expediency of operations).